

Weekly UI Data Report for the week ending May 20, 2006

UI Data Summary			
	This Year	Last Year	% Difference
Initial Claims	6,628	6,017	10.2%
Continued Claims	48,000	47,391	1.3%
Total Claims	54,628	53,408	2.3%
State & Federal Benefits	\$11,414,861		
Exhaustions	1,360	1,313	3.6%

- This report contains UI data for the week ending 05/20/06, the previous week, 05/13/06, and the same week a year ago, 05/21/05. Initial, Continued, and Total Claims are for UI, UCFE, and UCX combined.
- There were 6,628 Initial Claims for the week. This represented a decrease of 1,731 (-20.7%) when compared to the previous week. When compared to the same week last year, there was an increase of 611 (10.2%).
- Twelve of the local offices reported an increase in Initial Claims. The remaining 16 local offices reported a decrease. The Shelbyville local office had the largest increase in Initial Claims with 127 (+56.4%). The Fort Wayne local office had the largest decrease in Initial Claims with 1,196 (-65.7%).
- This week Total Claims were at 54,628. Total Claims were up 251 (0.5%) when compared to last week. When compared to the same week last year, Total Claims were up 1,220 (2.3%).
- There were 48,000 Continued Claims this week. When compared to last week, Continued Claims were up 1,982 (4.3%). When compared to last year, Continued Claims were up 609 (1.3%).
- The percentage of Continued Claims filed over the Internet was 62.3%. The percentage from the same week last year was 53.4%. The percentage of Initial Claims filed over the Internet was 39.2%. The percentage from the same week last year was 33.1%.
- This week a total of 1,360 UI intrastate claimants exhausted their benefits. This represented an increase of 81 (6.3%) when compared to the prior week. When compared to the same week last year, this represented an increase of 47 (3.6%).
- The average number of non-supervisory hours worked in April 2006 was 41.1. This resulted in a decrease of 1.1 hours when compared to the revised value for March 2006. When compared to April 2005, this was a decrease of 0.3 hours.

- The top ten local offices with the largest number of Total Claims are listed below. Together they accounted for 55.9% of the Total Claims load for the state.

Current Week 05/20/06			Previous Week 05/13/06		
1	Fort Wayne	5,072	1	Fort Wayne	4,973
2	Indpls. Westside	4,384	2	Indpls. Westside	4,347
3	Indpls. Eastside	4,098	3	Indpls. Eastside	4,030
4	South Bend	2,707	4	South Bend	2,760
5	Elkhart	2,578	5	Elkhart	2,671
6	Evansville	2,445	6	LaPorte	2,389
7	Shelbyville	2,382	7	Kokomo	2,387
8	LaPorte	2,311	8	Muncie	2,333
9	Kokomo	2,308	9	Evansville	2,312
10	Muncie	2,307	10	Shelbyville	2,262
Total		30,592	Total		30,464

- The top ten local offices with the largest increase in Total Claims are listed below.

Current Week 05/20/06			Previous Week 05/13/06		
1	Terre Haute	188	1	Fort Wayne	1,406
2	Evansville	133	2	South Bend	161
3	Shelbyville	120	3	Muncie	158
4	Fort Wayne	99	4	Indpls. Westside	157
5	Bloomington	92	5	Hammond	104
6	Indpls. Eastside	68	6	Anderson	99
7	Gary	66	7	Kokomo	81
8	Lafayette	64	8	Bloomington	72
9	Vincennes	44	9	Elkhart	69
10	Indpls. Westside	37	10	Vincennes	69
Total		911	Total		2,376